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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: MEDICAL VOA ITEM

1. VOA RUSSIAN MORNING OF MARCH 1 CARRIED ITEM ON US MEDICAL TEAM VISITING MOSCOW TO DISCUSS HIGHER THAN NORMAL INCIDENCE OF LYMPHOCYTOSIS EXPERIENCED BY US DIPLOMATS AND FAMILIES RESIDENT IN MOSCOW AND TO SEE WHETHER AVERAGE MUSCOVITE HAS SIMILAR BLOOD PROFILE. ACCORDING TO OUR UNDERSTANDING VOA BROADCAST, AN EXCHANGE OF DATA IS NECESSARY IN US DETERMINATION WHETHER SOVIET RADIATION BEAMED AT EMBASSY COULD BE A CAUSE OF BLOOD IRREGULARITIES NOTED AMONG AMERICANS. USG INTEREST IN GETTING AT REAL FACTS SAID TO BE DIRECT RESULT OF ACTION BY AROUSED FSO'S. AS RECEPTION THIS MORNING NOT PERFECT, WOULD APPRECIATE FULL TEXTS AND SOURCES, BY IMMEDIATE REPLY.

2. EMBASSY DEEPLY CONCERNED AT VOA'S ASSOCIATION OF THE CONSULTATIONS WITH HISTORY OF MICROWAVE SIGNALS DIRECTED AT EMBASSY. THE TWO ISSUES SHOULD NOT BE CONNECTED SINCE OUR OWN BLOOD TEST DATA DEMONSTRATE THAT THERE IS NO CONNECTION. FURTHERMORE, PUBLIC ATTEMPTS TO SUGGEST A LINK WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY ELIMINATE ANY POSSIBILITY OF OUR OBTAINING THE DATA DESIRED FROM THE SOVIETS.
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3. MEANWHILE EMBASSY REQUESTS URGENTLY THAT SUBJECT BE AVOIDED UNTIL COMPLETION MEETINGS, AT WHICH TIME CONFERENCE WITH LOCAL U.S. PRESS WILL BE HELD, WHICH WILL PROVIDE ACCURATE BASIS FOR ANY REPORTING DESIRED. TOON

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